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Title: SLOW RISE DEFIBRILLATION WAVEFORMS TO MINIMIZE ENERGY

FOR A PULSE MODULATED CIRCUIT AND MAXIMIZE CHARGE

TRANSFER TO MYOCARDIAL MEMBRANE

REVISED AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

The following is a revised amendment originally in response to the Office Action mailed April 6, 2006, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on July 6, 2006. This revision is provided in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed June 30, 2006, and having a 30-day period for response. Applicant has amended claim 7, as requested, and no other changes have been made to the response.